

SENATE RESOLUTION 191

By Dixon

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Markeenya Gunn, 2004
Valedictorian of Whitehaven High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Markeenya Gunn is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2004 graduating class at Whitehaven High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Gunn has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Markeenya Gunn has earned an exemplary 4.766 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, lending her support and leadership to numerous organizations, Miss Gunn is a valuable participant in several extracurricular and community activities; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gunn's accomplishments and promise have been evident during her high school tenure, and she has received numerous local, regional, and national awards; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gunn's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gunn's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Markeenya Gunn's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor 2004 Whitehaven High School Valedictorian, Markeenya Gunn, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.